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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: BAHRAM JAVIDI ET AL.)
Serial No.: 09/493,692) Group Art Unit: 2872
Filed: January 28, 2000) Examiner: Arnel C. Lavarias
For: OPTICAL SECURITY SYSTEM) Confirmation No. 2545
USING FOURIER PLANE ENCODING)

Customer No. 23413

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
WITH ATTACHED
DECLARATION UNDER MPEP 2132.01 and *In Re Katz***

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 18, 2005, Applicants submit the following RESPONSE and DECLARATION. Applicants also hereby petition for a one-month extension of time.

If there are any additional charges with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on

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